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Title : FOOD PRODUCT SCALE-BASED INCENTIVE SYSTEM
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Robert J. Schuller and Robert J. Weisz invented certain new and useful **FOOD PRODUCT SCALE-BASED INCENTIVE SYSTEM** (Docket No. 006593-2015) for which I/we executed an application for letters patent of the United States;

AND WHEREAS, Premark FEG L.L.C., a corporation of the State of Delaware, with a place of business at 1300 Market Street, Suite 504, Wilmington, Delaware 19801, hereinafter called the Assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the inventions therein disclosed and any letters patent that may issue thereon;

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